1966 IMPERIAL COUNCIL SESSION

92nd IMPERIAL COUNCIL SESSION

Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine of North America

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SAN FRANCISCO · JULY 3-8, 1966

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92nd
ANNUAL SESSION
of the
IMPERIAL COUNCIL

ANCIENT ARABIC ORDER OF THE NOBLES OF THE MYSTIC SHRINE OF NORTH AMERICA

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA
JULY 3-8, 1966

Welcome to CALIFORNIA and SAN FRANCISCO

As Governor of California, it is a pleasure to welcome the Shriners of North America to San Francisco for your 92nd Imperial Council Session.

Your organization has played an important role in the civic and social affairs of communities all over our great country. Here in California, the Shriners have made many valuable contributions to our society.

I join with the citizens of San Francisco in welcoming you to our state, and in hoping that your sessions will be interesting, productive and enjoyable.

EDMUND G. BROWN,
Governor

GREETINGS

It is indeed a pleasure for me to welcome the 1966 Imperial Council of the Shrine to San Francisco.

Every American citizen knows of the service to mankind provided by the Shrine through its hospitals for crippled children, and the proceeds from the annual East-West Shrine football classic.

But many may not realize that Islam Temple of San Francisco was the fifteenth to be established out of the present one hundred sixty-eight Temples in North America, a fact of which we in San Francisco are justifiably proud.

I sincerely hope that this ninety-second Imperial Council Session in San Francisco is a most enjoyable and productive one for you, and if there is anything my office can do to make your stay more interesting, please let me know.

John F. Shelley

JOHN F. SHELLEY
Mayor

The Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine

FOR NORTH AMERICA

GENERAL OFFICES - CHICAGO

BARNEY W. COLLINS
IMPERIAL POTENTATE

Dear Nobles:

Welcome to San Francisco and the 1966 Imperial Council Session!

Now that my term as Imperial Potentate of the Shrine of North America is nearing its end, I wish to thank each and every one of you for making it the most rewarding and enjoyable year of my life.

I also wish to thank you for your splendid cooperation and support during my administration. Doris and I have had the opportunity to meet many of you during our travels. You made us most welcome at every Oasis we visited, and we were thrilled to discover the progress being made by every Temple. Certainly Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children will benefit greatly by this forward movement.

It is my sincere wish that each of you will enjoy your stay with us in San Francisco, and that this Imperial Council Session will prove to be one of the best ever held.

Yours in the Sunshine of the Shrine

Barney Collins

Barney W. Collins, Imperial Potentate

MYRON E. SMITH
GRAND MASTER

GRAND LODGE
FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS
OF CALIFORNIA

Barney W. Collins
Imperial Potentate
The Imperial Council
Nobles of the Mystic Shrine

Dear Brother Collins:

On behalf of the more than 245,000 Masons, members of the 711 constituent Lodges in California and Hawaii, and for the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of California, I welcome you and all members of the Mystic Shrine to San Francisco for your forthcoming Imperial Council Session.

We in California, where you have been residing for part of the year, take pride in the leadership which you are so ably bringing to the Imperial Council of the Shrine. We have been deeply impressed with the scope of your Masonic experience and your dedication to Blue Lodge Masonry. By precept and example you exemplify Freemasonry at its best.

I am confident that the spirit of your leadership and your love of Freemasonry will be reflected throughout the coming session. We wish for all visitors and their ladies a most enjoyable stay in this Masonic jurisdiction.

Sincerely and fraternally,

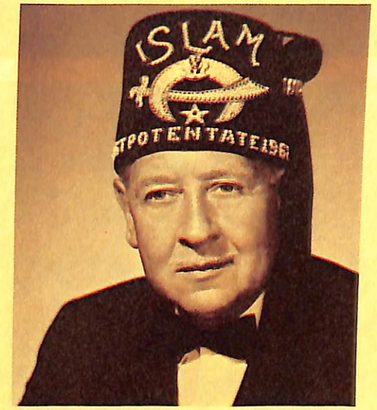
Myron E. Smith

Myron E. Smith, Grand Master

WALTER R. CASTRO, JR., P.P.
DIRECTOR GENERAL

1966 IMPERIAL SHRINE COUNCIL SESSION INC.

To The NOBLES OF THE MYSTIC SHRINE



GEORGE P. THOMAS, P.P.
DEPUTY DIRECTOR GENERAL

July 3-8, 1966

A most sincere welcome to you as you gather within the confines of Islam Temple's Oasis for your Annual Imperial Session. Our warmest San Francisco hospitality is extended to each and every one of you.

To make sure you have a friendly, pleasant and fun-packed stay during the Convention, your Committee has arranged many interesting activities and special events for you to enjoy.

San Francisco is known as "Everyone's Favorite City," and every Noble of Islam Temple will do his best to make your visit with us one that will be long remembered.

Cordially yours in the Faith,

W. R. Castro Jr.

W. R. Castro, Jr., P.P.
Director General

July 3-8, 1966

We welcome you to San Francisco for the 92nd Imperial Council Session. This will be the 5th Imperial Session held in San Francisco, the first one being in 1902.

At each of these Sessions, the City Officials, the citizens and the Divan and Nobility of Islam Temple have extended a true San Francisco welcome to the Imperial Council.

The 1966 Session will be no exception. We are looking forward with the greatest of pleasure to making your stay in our City a memorable one.

Sincerely yours in the Faith,

George P. Thomas

George P. Thomas, P.P.
Deputy Director General

IMPERIAL DIVAN OFFICERS
1965-1966

Ancient Arabic Order Nobles
of the Mystic Shrine

Barney W. Collins
Imperial Potentate

Charles E. Merrill
(Deceased)
Deputy Imperial Potentate

Orville F. Rush
Imperial
Chief Rabban

Thomas F. Seay
Imperial
Assistant Rabban

Chester A. Hogan
Imperial
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J. Worth Baker
Imperial
Oriental Guide

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Imperial
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Imperial
Recorder

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(Deceased)
Imperial 1st Ceremonial Master

Aubrey G. Graham
Imperial
2nd Ceremonial Master

C. P. MacGregor
Imperial
Marshall

C. Victor Thornton
Imperial
Capt. of the Guard

Henry B. Struby
Imperial
Outer Guard

Lt. Col. Reginald E. Clevett
Imperial Chaplain

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92nd Annual Imperial Council Session

A.A.O.N.M.S.

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA
Week of July 3, 1966

1966 IMPERIAL COUNCIL SESSION HEADQUARTERS
Twin Peaks Suite — San Francisco Hilton Hotel

WALTER R. CASTRO, JR., *Director General*

GEORGE P. THOMAS, *Deputy Director General*

The 1966 Imperial Council Sessions, Inc.

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Imperial Meetings — Banquets — Ladies Events

CYRIL LOUIS WEEKS, *Islam Treasurer*
Administration

ROBERT W. MORRISON, *Legal*

GEORGE H. TAYLOR, *Islam Oriental Guide*
Reception and Hospitality

DALMAR G. BERGLUND, *Islam 1st Cer. Master*

PAUL M. SHANNON, *Islam 2nd Cer. Master*
Special Events — Shows — Tours

THEODORE H. EGGERS, *Islam Temple, Editor, Official Program*

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GENERAL EVENTS

UNITED STATES FLEET

Strong possibility of portion of United States Fleet being in San Francisco Bay during the Session. Nobles and families desiring to visit an airplane carrier and or the other battleships, contact the Imperial Council Information Office at hotel listing registrations.

MASONIC MEMORIAL TEMPLE

Visits to Masonic Memorial Temple, 1111 California Street between Taylor and Jones Streets.

Saturdays and Sundays 12:00 Noon to 4:00 P.M.
Weekdays 9:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

SATURDAY , JULY 2

10:00 A.M.

Ground Breaking — addition to San Francisco Unit Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children, 1651 - 19th Avenue.

12:00 Noon to 6:00 P.M.

Registration of Nobility and Ladies
San Francisco Hilton Hotel, Mason and O'Farrell Sts.
St. Francis Hotel, Powell and Geary Sts.
Fairmont Hotel, Mason and California Sts.
Sheraton-Palace Hotel, Market and New Montgomery Sts.
Mark Hopkins Hotel, California and Mason Sts.
Sir Francis Drake Hotel, Sutter and Powell Sts.
Jack Tar Hotel, Van Ness and Geary Sts.
Del Webb's Towne House, Market at 8th St.
Hilton Inn, at San Francisco Airport

3:00 P.M.

Islam Temple Ceremonial, San Francisco Civic Auditorium.

SUNDAY, JULY 3

Religious Services—Church of your choice.

All Day

Reception of incoming Temples with escorts to their respective hotels.

9:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.

Registration of Nobility and Ladies
San Francisco Hilton Hotel, Mason and O'Farrell Sts.
St. Francis Hotel, Powell and Geary Sts.
Fairmont Hotel, Mason and California Sts.
Sheraton Palace Hotel, Market and New Montgomery Sts.
Mark Hopkins Hotel, California and Mason Sts.
Sir Francis Drake Hotel, Sutter and Powell Sts.
Jack Tar Hotel, Van Ness and Geary Sts.
Del Webb's Towne House, Market at 8th St.
Hilton Inn, at San Francisco Airport

12:00 Noon to 6:00 P.M.

Registration of Imperial Council Representatives, San Francisco Hilton Hotel—4th Floor

9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

Registration of Shrine Recorders Association, Mark Hopkins Hotel—Garden Room

12:00 Noon to 6:00 P.M.

Registration of Royal Order of Jesters, San Francisco Hilton Hotel—Ballroom Floor

1:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M.

Royal Order of Jesters Open House—San Francisco Court #4, Bellevue Hotel, 505 Geary Street

2:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M.

Visit to the New California Bodies Scottish Rite Temple, 19th Ave. and Sloat Blvd.

6:00 P.M.

Shrine Recorders Association Hospitality Hour, Fairmont Hotel—Pavilion Room (By Invitation)

MONDAY, JULY 4

8:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

Shrine Recorders Association Annual Meeting, Mark Hopkins Hotel—Room of the Dons

9:00 A.M.

Day Parade—from Ferry Building up Market Street to Civic Center. Tickets for seats on sale at all Registration Booths.

9:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.

Registration of Imperial Council Representatives, San Francisco Hilton Hotel—4th Floor

9:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.

Registration of Nobility and Ladies
San Francisco Hilton Hotel, Mason and O'Farrell Sts.
St. Francis Hotel, Powell and Geary Sts.
Fairmont Hotel, Mason and California Sts.
Mark Hopkins Hotel, California and Mason Sts.
Sheraton-Palace Hotel, Market and New Montgomery Sts.
Sir Francis Drake Hotel, Sutter and Powell Sts.
Jack Tar Hotel, Van Ness and Geary Sts.
Del Webb's Towne House, Market at 8th St.
Hilton Inn, at San Francisco Airport

9:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.

Registration—Royal Order of Jesters, San Francisco Hilton Inn—Ballroom Floor

10:13 A.M.

Annual Meeting—Royal Order of Jesters, Fairmont Hotel—Gold Room

12:00 Noon

Shrine Recorders Association Recorders and Ladies Luncheon, Mark Hopkins Hotel—Peacock Court

1:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M.

Royal Order of Jesters Open House—San Francisco Court #4, Bellevue Hotel, 505 Geary St.

3:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M.

Cabiri Open House, San Francisco Hilton Hotel

3:30 P.M.

Opening Session of 92nd Imperial Council, San Francisco Hilton Hotel—Continental Ballroom. Public invited.

6:30 P.M.

Shrine Recorders Association Banquet, Fairmont Hotel —Grand Ballroom

TUESDAY, JULY 5

7:30 A.M.

Chief Rabbans Breakfast, San Francisco Hilton Hotel—Continental Parlor No. 6

7:30 A.M.

Red Cross of Constantine Breakfast, St. Francis Hotel—Italian Room

9:00 A.M.

Official Opening Session of 92nd Imperial Council, San Francisco Hilton Hotel—Continental Ballroom

9:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.

Registration of Nobility and Ladies
San Francisco Hilton Hotel, Mason and O'Farrell Sts.
St. Francis Hotel, Powell and Geary Sts.
Fairmont Hotel, Mason and California Sts.
Sheraton-Palace Hotel, Market and New Montgomery Sts.
Mark Hopkins Hotel, California and Mason Sts.
Sir Francis Drake Hotel, Sutter and Powell Sts.
Jack Tar Hotel, Van Ness and Geary Sts.
Del Webb's Towne House, Market at 8th St.
Hilton Inn, at San Francisco Airport

12:00

Imperial Representatives Luncheon, San Francisco Hilton Hotel—Continental Parlor No. 6

12:00

Concert, Massed Bands—Union Square

1:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M.

Royal Order of Jesters Open House, San Francisco Court #4—Bellevue Hotel, 505 Geary Street

1:30 P.M.

Imperial Council Sessions—reconvenes

3:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M.

Cabiri Open House—San Francisco Hilton Hotel

6:30 P. M.

A.S.O.B. Presidents Banquet—Jack Tar Hotel

6:30 P. M.

I.S.H.P. Reception and dinner Dance—Mark Hopkins Hotel

7:13 P.M.

Royal Order of Jesters Annual Banquet, Fairmont Hotel—Grand Ballroom

8:00 P.M.

Hollywood Extravaganza, Civic Auditorium. Tickets on sale San Francisco Hilton Hotel—Ticket Booth Ballroom Floor.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 6

7:30 A.M.

Cabiri Breakfast, San Francisco Hilton Hotel—Continental Parlor No. 6

8:30 A.M.

Motor Corps Drill Competition, Kezar Stadium Parking Lot, Frederick and Stanyan Sts.

9:00 A.M.

Election of Officers—Imperial Council Session, San Francisco Hilton Hotel—Continental Ballroom

9:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.

Registration of Nobility and Ladies
San Francisco Hilton Hotel, Mason and O'Farrell Sts.
St. Francis Hotel, Powell and Geary Sts.
Fairmont Hotel, Mason and California Sts.
Sheraton-Palace Hotel, Market and New Montgomery Sts.
Mark Hopkins Hotel, California and Mason Sts.
Sir Francis Drake Hotel, Sutter and Powell Sts.
Jack Tar Hotel, Van Ness and Geary Sts.
Del Webb's Towne House, Market at 8th St.
Hilton Inn, at San Francisco Airport

9:15 A.M.

Imperial Potentate—Elect Pageant, Continental Ballroom. Public invited.

11:00 A.M.

Imperial Council Session—reconvenes

12:00 Noon

Band Concert, Massed Bands—Union Square

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 6

12:00 Noon

A.S.O.B. Annual Luncheon, Jack Tar Hotel—International Room

12:00 Noon

I.S.H.P. Western Style Barbeque, Golden Gate Fields, Albany, California

12:30 P.M.

Imperial Representatives Luncheon, San Francisco Hilton—Continental Parlor No. 6

1:00 P.M.

Mounted Drill Team Competition, Golden Gate Fields, Albany, California

1:00 P.M.

Baseball Day, Candlestick Park. St. Louis Cards vs San Francisco Giants

1:30 P.M.

Imperial Council Session—reconvenes

2:00 P.M.

Massed Chanters Singing—Union Square

3:00 P.M.

Patrolarama, National Guard Armory, 1800 Mission St. All Nobles and Ladies invited.

3:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M.

Cabiri Open House, San Francisco Hilton Hotel

8:00 P.M.

Imperial Potentate's Banquet, Continental Ballroom. (By invitation only)

8:00 P.M.

Hollywood Extravaganza, Civic Auditorium Tickets on sale Ticket Booth, San Francisco Hilton Hotel—Ballroom Floor.

THURSDAY, JULY 7

7:00 A.M.

Texas Breakfast, San Francisco Hilton Hotel—Continental Parlor No. 6

9:00 A.M.

Imperial Council Session—reconvenes

9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

Registration of Nobility and Ladies
San Francisco Hilton Hotel, Mason and O'Farrell Sts.
St. Francis Hotel, Powell and Geary Sts.
Fairmont Hotel, Mason and California Sts.
Sheraton-Palace Hotel, Market and New Montgomery Sts.
Mark Hopkins Hotel, California and Mason Sts.
Sir Francis Drake Hotel, Sutter and Powell Sts.
Jack Tar Hotel, Van Ness and Geary Sts.
Del Webb's Towne House, Market at 8th St.
Hilton Inn, at San Francisco Airport

9:00 A.M.

Annual Breakfast, Shrine Patrol Association—Commercial Club 465 California Street

10:00 A.M.

I.S.H.P. Open House—Aahmes Mounted Patrol, 13400 Skyline Blvd., Oakland, California

12:00 Noon

Imperial Representatives Luncheon, San Francisco Hilton Hotel—Continental Parlor No. 6

12:00 Noon

Imperial Representatives Ladies Luncheon and Fashion Show, Fairmont Hotel—Grand Ballroom

1:30 P.M.

Imperial Council Session—reconvenes

3:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M.

Cabiri Open House, San Francisco Hilton Hotel

7:00 P.M.

Night Parade—from Ferry Building up Market Street to Civic Center. Tickets for **seats** on sale at all Registration Booths.

FRIDAY, JULY 8

9:00 A.M.

Final Imperial Council Session, San Francisco Hilton Hotel—Continental Ballroom

William H. Woodfield Jr.

Harold Lloyd

Robert G. Wilson Jr.

Harvey A. Beffa

Remmie L. Arnold

PAST IMPERIAL POTENTATES

Walter C. Guy

Gerald D. Crary

Thomas W. Melham

George E. Stringfellow

George A. Mattison Jr.

Marshall M. Porter

George M. Klepper

Harold C. Close

O. Carlyle Brock

JOSEPH L. TEDROWE
POTENTATE

Welcome to ISLAM

Welcome to Islam's Oasis!

Ten thousand Islam Nobles join me in welcoming you and your families to five festive days of pageantry, color, music, entertainment and gaiety.

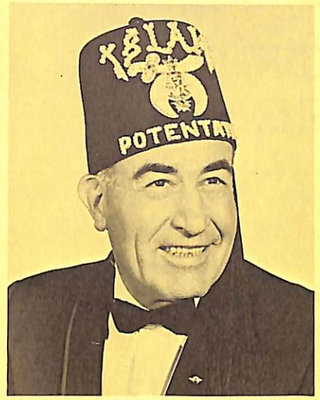
Corps of dedicated Nobles, to whom I am personally most grateful, have dedicated themselves to the task of providing every possible facility for your comfort, convenience and diversion including the presentation of one of Shrinedom's most exciting and spectacular convention shows.

Every Noble of your host Temple extends the hand of good fellowship and is eager to display the warm hospitality which should make your visit to San Francisco one you will remember for years to come.

Es Selamu Aleikum

Joseph L. Tedrowe

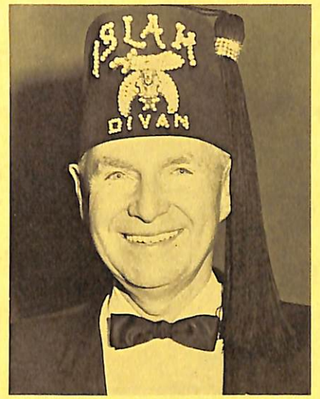
JOSEPH L. TEDROWE
Potentate
Islam Temple



JOSEPH L. TEDROWE
POTENTATE

ISLAM TEMPLE ELECTED DIVAN

THEODORE H. BALLIET
CHIEF RABBAN



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ORIENTAL GUIDE

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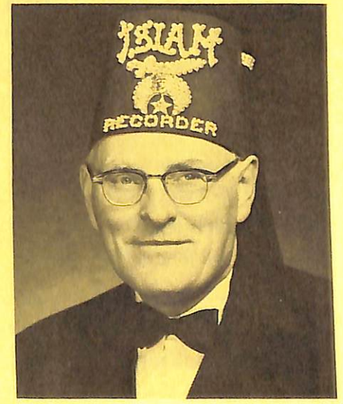

EARLE B. BREHAUT
RECORDER

COMMITTEE MEETINGS AND HEADQUARTERS

SAN FRANCISCO HILTON HOTEL
Mason and O'Farrell Streets
Telephone: 771-1400

CABIRI HEADQUARTERS
Suite 501-502

CONVENTION HEADQUARTERS
Twin Peaks Suite

DISPENSATIONS AND CHARTERS
Toyon Suite A
Saturday, July 2, 10:00 A.M.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS
Lassen Room

GRIEVANCE AND APPEALS
Walnut Suite B
On call

IMPERIAL MARSHALL'S OFFICE
Teakwood Suite

IMPERIAL RECORDER'S OFFICE
Rosewood Suite
Teakwood Suite
Walnut Suite

IMPERIAL COUNCIL SESSION HEADQUARTERS
Twin Peaks Suite

JURISPRUDENCE AND LAWS
Diablo Room
Saturday, July 2, 10:00 A.M.

JURISDICTIONAL LINES COMMITTEE
Toyon Suite B
Saturday, July 2, 10:00 A.M.

MEDICAL AND FIRST AID
Tamalpais Room

PROVOST GUARD
Shasta Room

PUBLICITY - T.V. - NEWS - RADIO HEADQUARTERS
Teakwood Suite

REPRESENTATIVE REGISTRATION
Fourth Floor

TRANSPORTATION
Whitney Room

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San Francisco Hilton Hotel — Telephone: 771-1400

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St. Francis Hotel—Powell and Geary Sts. — Telephone: 397-7000
San Francisco Hilton Hotel—Mason and O'Farrell Sts. — Telephone: 771-1400

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San Francisco Hilton Hotel

W. W. Bennett	Suite 1932	Harry Martens, Jr.	Suite 1810
O. Carlyle Brock	Suite 1959	Thomas W. Melham	Suite 1755
Walter R. Castro, Jr.	Suite 1801	Kenneth T. Paxton	Suite 1855
Harold C. Close	Suite 1759	Harvey W. Smith	Suite 1905
J. Curtis Lewis, Jr.	Suite 1955	Jack M. Streight	Suite 1832
John McKee	Suite 1859	Peter Val Preda	Suite 1910
Jacob A. Wingerter	Suite 1805		

CONVENTION ACTIVITIES AND INFORMATION

BAND CONCERT—Massed Bands
Union Square
Tuesday, July 5, 12:00 Noon
Wednesday, July 6, 12:00 Noon

BAY BOAT RIDE
Pier 43½, Fisherman's Wharf
Daily, from 10:00 A.M.

BASEBALL
Candlestick Park
St. Louis Cardinals vs San Francisco Giants
Wednesday, July 6, 1:00 P.M.

CALIFORNIA BODIES SCOTTISH RITE—New Temple Visit
19th Avenue and Sloat Blvd.
Sunday, July 3, 2:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M.

CEREMONIAL—Islam Temple
San Francisco Civic Auditorium
Saturday, July 2, 3:00 P.M.

DEEP SEA FISHING TRIP
Friday, July 8

ELKS CLUB PRIVILEGES
Locker Room, Swimming, Dining Privilege, etc. Visiting Shriners, Courtesy Service—Charge, $1.00—Dues Card or be in uniform.
456 Post St.

GROUND BREAKING—Addition to San Francisco Unit of Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children
Saturday, July 2, 10:00 A.M.

HOLLYWOOD EXTRAVAGANZA
Civic Auditorium
Tuesday, July 5, 8:00 P.M.
Wednesday, July 6, 8:00 P.M.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE-ELECT PAGEANT
Continental Ballroom
San Francisco Hilton Hotel
Wednesday, July 6, 9:15 A.M.

LAKE FISHING
Tuesday, July 5
Wednesday, July 6
Thursday, July 7

MASONIC MEMORIAL TEMPLE VISITS
1111 California St.
Saturdays and Sundays
12:00 Noon to 4:00 P.M.
Weekdays, 9:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

MASSED CHANTERS SINGING
Union Square
Wednesday, July 6, 2:00 P.M.

MOTOR CORPS DRILL COMPETITION
Kezar Stadium Parking Lot
Frederick and Stanyan Sts.
Wednesday, July 6, 8:30 A.M. (Obstacle Course); 1:00 P.M.

MOUNTED DRILL TEAM COMPETITION
Golden Gate Fields
Albany, California
Wednesday, July 6, 1:00 P.M.

OPENING SESSION OF 92ND IMPERIAL COUNCIL SESSION
Continental Ballroom
San Francisco Hilton Hotel
Monday, July 4, 3:30 P.M.

PARADE
Ferry Building up Market Street to Civic Center
DAY—Monday, July 4, 9:00 A.M.
NIGHT—Thursday, July 7, 7:00 P.M.

PATROLARAMA
National Guard Armory
1800 Mission St.
Wednesday, July 6, 3:00 P.M.

ROYAL ORDER OF JESTERS ANNUAL BANQUET
Fairmont Hotel—Grand Ballroom
Tuesday, July 5, 7:13 P.M.

TRAP & SKEET SHOOTING
Tuesday, July 5
Wednesday, July 6
Thursday, July 7

UNITED STATES FLEET VISITS
Contact Information Office for further information

CHARLES E. MERRILL
September 14, 1897 December 4, 1965

Imperial Sir Charles E. Merrill, Deputy Imperial Potentate of the Shrine of North America and a member of Moslem Temple, died Saturday, December 4, 1965, while riding to his office in downtown Detroit, Michigan. He had been visiting his wife, ill in a Detroit hospital.

Merrill was born in Richmond, Virginia, and moved to New York at an early age. He received his college training at the University of Michigan and Detroit College of Law, and had been admitted to practice before the Michigan Supreme Court, United States District Court, United States Supreme Court, and United States Treasury Department. He had been practicing law in Detroit for 38 years.

Imperial Sir Merrill served as Potentate of Moslem Temple; Master of Composite Lodge No. 499, A.F. & A.M.; and President of the Great Lakes Shrine Association in 1957. He held memberships in: Acacia Chapter No. 168, R. A. M.; Monroe Council No. 1, R. & S. M.; Detroit Commandery No. 1, K. T.; Scottish Rite of the Valley of Detroit; Detroit Court No 28, Royal Order of Jesters; The Cabiri; and Aries Grotto, M. O. V. P. E. R. He was also a member of Kiwanis Club No. 1, Economic Club of Detroit, Detroit Golf and Detroit Athletic Clubs, and Director and attorney for the Art Centre Hospital.

For many years Merrill was a member and Deacon of Central Woodward Christian Church. He was a veteran of World War II and Past Adjutant of George Washington Post, The American Legion.

Imperial Sir Merrill is survived by his wife Berniece, who has been his law partner for over 30 years, and their two children.

LEONARD P. STEUART
November 12, 1879 January 17, 1966

Leonard P. Steuart of Almas Temple died on January 17, 1966. Imperial Sir Steuart was Imperial Treasurer and a Past Imperial Potentate of the Shrine, and the Treasurer of the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children. Funeral services were held at the National Metropolitan Memorial Methodist Church in Washington, D. C.

Past Imperial Potentate Steuart was an active Mason throughout his life. He became a Master Mason in 1905, and was Master of his Lodge in 1914. He was elected Treasurer of the Washington Centennial Lodge in 1917, and served in that capacity since. Imperial Sir Steuart was Grand Master of Masons of the District of Columbia in 1938.

Imperial Sir Steuart became a Noble of the Mystic Shrine in 1917 and was Potentate of Almas Temple in 1922 and 1923. He served as Chairman of the Washington, D. C. Shrine Convention in 1923. He was elected to the Imperial Divan in 1926 and served as Imperial Potentate from June, 1935 to July, 1936. Elected Imperial Treasurer in 1937, he has served in this position since.

Steuart was Chairman of the Board of L. P. Steuart, Inc.; Vice-President of Imperial Insurance Company, Inc.; a Director of Acacia Mutual Life Insurance Company; a Director of the American Homeowners Insurance Company; a Director of the Metropolitan Police Boys' Club; Director of the Bank of Washington; and a Director of the Columbia Federal Savings and Loan Association, also in Washington, D. C.

Steuart was an Honorary Trustee of the American University, a member of the University Club, a member of the Burning Tree and Columbia Country Clubs. He was an Honorary Life Member of the Kiwanis Club, and a member and Trustee of the National Metropolitan Memorial Methodist Church. He had been active in religious and civic affairs in the Nation's Capital for many years.

He is survived by his wife Bess, and daughters Mrs. A. W. Moore, Jr., and Mrs. Harry Martens, Jr.

EDGAR LLOYD TURNER
April 14, 1904 October 15, 1965

Imperial Sir "Ed" Turner was born in Revere, Massachusetts on April 14, 1904, and was educated in the City of Medford, Massachusetts, public schools and Boston University. He was President and Treasurer of the Seven-Up Bottling Company of Boston, Massachusetts. He also owned and operated a chain of restaurants in New Jersey. For the past seven years he had been a director of the Soft Drink Association in Massachusetts and was Treasurer of the Boston Patriots Football Club of the American League.

Raised in Russell Lodge, Arlington, Massachusetts, in 1939, he transferred his membership to Wellesley Lodge in 1943 and belonged to Wellesley Lodge and Maugus Hill Lodge, both of Wellesley. He served as Master of Wellesley Lodge in 1953-1954. He was a member of the York Rite and Scottish Rite Bodies, Boston Court No. 103, Royal Order of Jesters, and the Cabiri. He was Potentate of Aleppo Temple in 1958 and was elected Imperial Outer Guard of the Shrine of North America, in Miami in 1961.

He was married to Hilma Mason of Melrose, Massachusetts, and the union was blessed by two children, both of whom are married. Their son Philip and son-in-law Frederick A. Spencer, associated with him in business, are members of Aleppo Temple. He also leaves four grandsons and two granddaughters.

Funeral services for Imperial Sir Turner were held Wednesday, October 20, 1965 in the Wellesley Hills Congregational Church.

"They never quite leave us,
our friends who have passed
A thousand bright memories
are holding them fast

Through the shadows of death
and the sunlight above;
To the places they blessed
with their presence and love."

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My sincere thanks and appreciation to each and every Noble for the time and effort you have contributed to make this 1966 Imperial Council Session a most successful affair. Without your wonderful help this tremendous task could not have been accomplished. To the Illustrious Potentate of Aahmes Temple, Stanley C. Johnson, his Divan and to the Nobility of Aahmes Temple, a special "THANK YOU" for your magnificent contribution of assistance and cooperation.

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WALTER R. CASTRO, JR. P.P.
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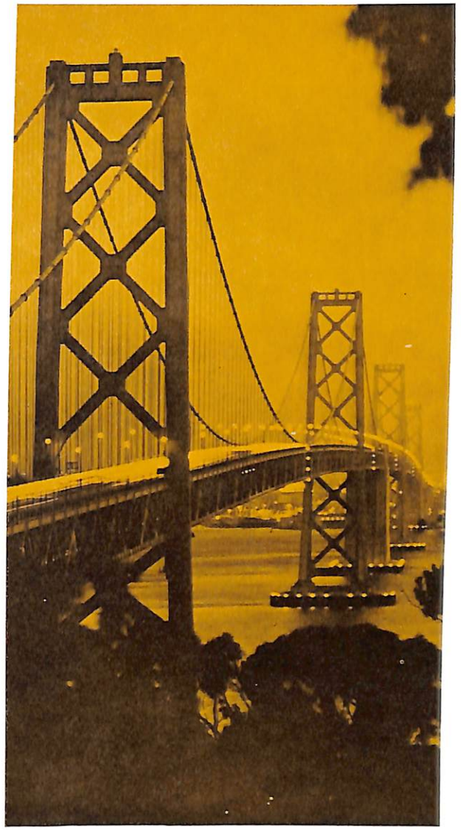

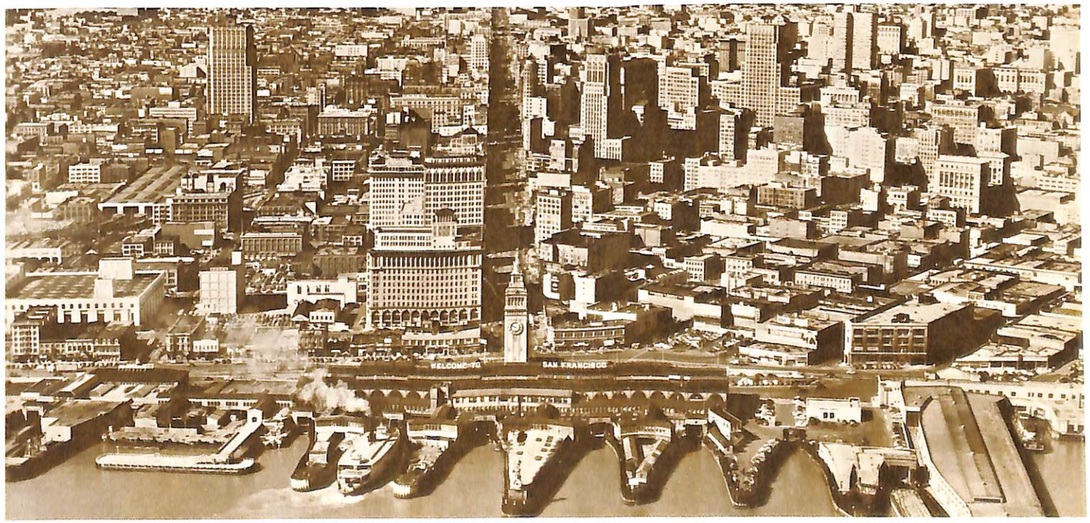

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